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## **MEETING AGENDA**

Date: October 06, 2015

Time: 1:00 PM

Place: State House, 200 W. Washington St., Room 431

City: Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

Meeting Number: 1

- (1) Call to order.
- (2) The commission will study the following at this meeting:
  - (A) Whether smoking should be prohibited in bars, casinos, and private clubs.
  - (B) The fiscal impact of prohibiting smoking in bars, casinos, and private clubs.
  - (C) Whether e-cigarettes should be defined as tobacco products.
  - (D) Whether e-cigarettes should be subject to smoking bans.
  - (E) E-cigarette taxation.
  - (F) The fiscal impact of an increase in the cigarette tax.
  - (G) Possible funding sources for tobacco use prevention and cessation programs.

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- (H) The impact of the tobacco tax on smoking rates and healthy living ratings relative to other states.
- (I) The impact of smoking upon families and pregnancy.
- (J) The costs incurred by the state as a result of smoking during pregnancy and smoking within families.

## Notes:

- (1) Individuals who wish to distribute materials to the members of the committee are encouraged to bring at least 20 copies for committee members and staff.\
- (2) Individuals who provide PowerPoint or similar electronic presentation to the committee or have prepared written testimony are encouraged to provide an electronic or hard copy of the presentation or testimony to Eliza Stephenson at Indiana Legislative Services Agency.
- (3) Testimony will be limited to five minutes for each person testifying to the committee.